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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a)Whether several schemes sanctioned under the Vidarbha special package to agricultural and animal husbandry farms are only meant for dairy development; and

(b) If so, whether the Government propose to extend this scheme to other species of livestocks particularly in Kerala?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHARAD PAWAR)

(a)&(b) : The special package for suicide prone districts in the States of Andhra Pradesh, Maharashtra, Karnataka and Kerala includes components for development of dairy and fisheries. There is no proposal to extend the scheme to other species of livestock.